

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Appl. No. : 10/582,408  
Applicants : Eginhard Warner Vietz *et al.*  
Filed : June 9, 2006  
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Examiner : Ket D. PANG  
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Customer No. : 06449  
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**AMENDMENT**

**Mail Stop RCE**  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed May 27, 2010, please amend the above-identified application as indicated below.

Applicants have petitioned for a three-month extension of time, extending the date of submission from the original due date of August 27, 2010, to November 29, 2010 (November 27-28 being a weekend). Accordingly, this Amendment is being timely filed.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on **page 2** of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on **page 13** of this paper.